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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. YOR920010602US1 (8728-546)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No: 09/940,709      Group Art Unit: 2189  
Filed: August 28, 2001      Docket: YOR920010602 (8728-546)  
For: **CONFIGURABLE MEMORY ARRAY**

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I. REFUND REQUEST

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### IV. MANNER OF REFUND

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Respectfully requested,

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## Electronic Patent Application Fee Transmittal

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<b>Filing Date:</b>	28-Aug-2001			
<b>Title of Invention:</b>	Configurable memory array			
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